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COUNTER-REVOLT BREAKS

TURN HAVERFORD, CARRYINGTROOPS, FROM THIS PORT

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Liner, With 2100 Returning Soldiers, Ordered to New York

DANIELS READY TO ACT

Early and Vigilant Methods to Safeguard Men Debarking Here Promised

The War Department has directed the American liner Haverford to land its implement of 2100 returning soldiers at New York instead of Philadelphia. The department insists the troops "cannot be handled" at this port.

The controversy between city authorities and Federal officials on the vice situation here is looked upon as the real cause for the order. The Haverford sailed last Wednesday from Brest, France, for Philadelphia. While it was out at sea the War Department wirelessed its commander to take the steamship to New York.

Shipping men here today were loud in their denunciation of the War Department's action. Telegrams of protest War Baker, to Senator Penrose and to Congressman J. Hampton Moore, urging Federal reconsideration of the move.

At the same time it was announced it Washington that Secretary of the Navy aligned themselves with Lieutenant Colonel Charles B. Hatch, law-enforcing officer here, in his attacks on the city administration of the vice problem and are preparing now to take drastic steps to have this city policed by soldiers and sailors. Some definite announcement of the plan under way is expected in the

Stand By Colonel Hatch

After a series of conferences with Secretary Baker have convinced them, jury was out less than an hour. selves that Colonel Hatch is in the right in his controversy with Mayor Smith and in his judgment on the vice situation in Philadelphia. They are now prepared to back him to the limit in any

War Departments is pending in regard to the vice situation here and steps that will "shock" even those most familiar with the situation are to be taken with-in the next 36 hours unless the city au-thorities bring about a radical change. t is learned at Washington today.

Colonel Hatch went to Washington yesterday and held conferences in the morning and afternoon with Secretary Daniels, During the day he met Major ascom Johnson, chief of the law-en-forcement division of the welfare de-partment of the War Department, and discussed the legal features of the Philadelphia situation.

This morning a meeting was held

between Secretary Daniels, Secretary

dorsed and a plan of action for the future agreed upon.

I can make no announcement today of what is to be done in Philadelphia, but the sailors, marines and soldiers are to be given full protection there, even if we have to bring in the whole navy and army to obtain it.

There is no politics in this matter with us. We want Philadelphia kept clean and hape hoped it could be done without interfering with the usual run of things there or having any controversy with the city officials. If it cannot be done that way we will adopt another course.

Colonel Hatch returned to Philadel-

Colonel Hatch returned to Philade!-

Vice Reports Held to Blame

Although the War Department an-nounced that its action in changing the course of the Haverford was due to the lack of 'proper facilities' in this port, P. F. Young, manager of the interna-tional Mercantile Marine Company, which owns the Haverford in a terse statement issued this afternoon asserts

for the change.

Mr. Young, in a letter to the Philadelphia Board of Trade, asserts that this port has adequate facilities for the handling of troops and urges that or-ganization to take immediate steps to remedy the situation.

Outgrowth of Exaggerations

the Haverford to New York, said; The whole thing is an outgrowth of

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STRICKEN SHIP FOUND

Ansaldo III Helpless About 600 Miles Off Delaware Capes

Word was received here today that he Italian steamship Ansaldo III was ound, after a search of several days, in heipless condition about 600 miles east f the Delaware Capes.

Two steamships and a navy cruiser re standing by the Ansaldo III, waiting or the arrival of tugs to bring the ship ack to this port.

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The Ansaldo III is reported to have a broken steering gear and has been floundering about helplessly for the last five days. The steamship sailed from this port on January 7 for Genoa, Italy.

A wireless message from the Italian vessel received at Halifax several days ago reported its distress, but did not give any location. Since that time steamps and navy vessels have been search the sea from Nova Scotla southward the disabled ship.

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the disabled ship.
The Ansaldo III is a 5200-ton freighter,
whed and operated by the Societie Naonale di Navigazione, which has offices
t Third and Wainut streets. It carried
cargo of steel plates, lubricating oil
machinery valued at more than
500,000.

THE WETS WIN!

Though the land is voted dry Wetness reigns-or rains, Here's

why: Again a rain-drop-patter-day; in tonight and Saturday.

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PHILADELPHIA, FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 1919

FIRST PICTURE OF PRESIDENT WILSON IN LONDON



(Left to right) Mrs. Wilson, Queen Mary, President Wilson and King George on the platform at Victoria Station

partment's action. Telegrams of protest have already been sent to Secretary of NOBRE ACQUITTED OF LIBEL CHARGE

Daniels and Secretary Baker have Satisfied With Verdict, Savs Vare, Contending Claims Substantiated

JURY DECIDES QUICKLY

John M. Nobre, former city surveyor, Vare with criminal libel, was acquitted ColonLel Hatch, Secretary Daniels and in Quarter Sessions Court today. The

> Following Nobre's acquittal, Senato Vare issued a statement in which he expressed satisfaction with the verdict He also asserted that testimony introduced at the trial substantiated his claim for work done on Government

The libel charge against Nobre was aged on his statement before Councils Finance Committee that he altered figures for work done on Government avenue, at the suggestion of Senator Vare, and on the fact that he gave simlar statements to the newspapers.

llar statements to the newspapers.

As Senutor Vare in his statement laid especial stress on his contention that no part of Government avenue had ever been paid for, many regard this as a warning that he intends to take further collect his "moral claim" of \$150,000 from the city.

Did Not Expect Consistion

The Senator's statement follows: "I am fully satisfied with the verdict

without any foundation in fact I will see to it that they who make them have to answer in a court of justice court convened today. Nobre's trial opened on Tuesday be-fore Judge Audenried in Quarter Ses-

Questions Hinged Upon Malice Judge Audenried, in his charge to the jury, told the jurymen they had "no right to find Nobre guilty unless you are satisfied that he acted maliciously."

He read the libel act of 1869 to the jury and also the act of June 3, 1893. He referred to Nobre's testimony and admission before Councilst Pinance Committee and told the jury it must decide whether these statements were defamatory libel without legal justification or, as Nobre claims, merely an act to jury, told the jurymen they had "no

or, as Nobre claims, merely an act to rate In his statement Mr. Young, disre-garding the excuse given by the War Department for its action in diverting "Statements of this kind," said the Judge, "are not always unlawful. Sometimes they are justified and proper.
"If the subject-matter concerns the welfare of the public the public is in-

terested, and it is a matter of public investigation and not punishable statement is privileged, even though de-famatory.

"The Finance Committee was consid-

ering spending a large rum of money. Nobre was summoned, He knew the sub-ject-matter and had the right to give "You must decide if this was a privileged occasion—even if it defamed— even if it insuited Mr. Vare. It is not punishable unless it was made with ma-licious intent. The Commonwealth must

prove malice. You have no right to find Nobre guilty unless you are latis-fied that he acted maliclously. "Yare said he never asked Nobre to destroy records. You are asked to infer that Nobre made his statement out of ill-will. No lie is privileged. "Before you say Nobre is guilty you must be satisfied that his statement was

actuated by malice. Dr. Ambler's Testimony

Referring to the testimony of Doctor mbler, a brother-in-law of Senator Ambler, a brother-in-law of Senator Vare, Judge Audenried said, "He was vare, Judge Audencied said, 'He was not intimate with Vare, but was intimate with Nobre. His evidence was to the effect that Nobre had a grudge against Vare. You must decide if such was the case, or if Nobre had in mind

was the case, or if Nobre had in mind the good of the city."

When the jurymen filed out they took the field book of Government avenue, copies of affidavits made by Nobre and other data which were connected with the case.

Nobre was represented by Joseph P.

President Wilson's Visit to England Shown in Pictures

On the back page of this issue of the EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER are printed the first photographs of the historic event to reach this country. The photographs arrived in New York this morning and were sent immediately to

FEDERAL HOUSE VOTES TO DOWN SUBTREASURIES

Abolition of Government Agencies Here and in Other Cities to Be Fought

The House in Washington voted 91 to

is this afternoon to abolish the Philadelphia subtreasury and the subtreas- took favorable action yesterday. uries in Baltimore, Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati. New York, New Orleans St. The retention of the sub-treasury

ere was urged by Congressman Hampton Moore, who spoke for the adoption of the Raker amendment to the that executive, legislative and pudicial appropriation which provides for continu-

Acting upon the recommendation of the efficiency board, the appropriations committee made no provision in the bill for continuing the existence of the nine sub-treasuries and they would nine sub-treasuries and they would automatically go out of business June

between Secretary Daniels, Secretary Baker, Colonel Hatch and Major John son, at which the whole situation was reviewed, Colonel Hatch's course into dersed and a plan of action for the future agreed upon.

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the retention of the Subtreasuries on the ground that they were performing a valuable service and that to abolish them which in the end reflects on my wife and six children.

(When the lower statements are made)

DID YOU SEE HIM, TOO?

The case went to the jury soon after That Stout Gentleman Walking Up Chestnut St. in the Rain? A gentleman, somewhat stout, with tumorous wrinkles about his eyes, calked up Chestnut street this morning. It was raining a little, and he had no imbrella, but this didn't seem to worry

in. And he looked like somebody's grand-

And it was William Howard Taft,

Men Accused of Larceny Involve

Union Labor Leader

James C. Cronin, 1797 Mount Vernon street, business agent of the International Molders Union, Local No. 15, was held in \$1990 bail by Magistrate Pennock, at Central Station, today, charged with conspiracy to cheat and defraud. The charge was brought by the Auto Owners' Indemnity and Insurance Company, 925 Chestnut street.

Edward Virgin, of New York; Joseph Hartnett, North Hicks street, and Harry Schultheiser. North Fifteenth street, were held in \$600 bail each on larceny charges in connection with Cronin's case. It was their testimony that implicated Cronin.

According to their statement, Cronin hired them to steal his car, valued at \$3100, on November 26. Detective Farrell said he saw the car going north in Broad street and arrested the occupants, Hartnett and Schultheiser. They implicated Cronin. Today Virgin surrenge there of the police, admitting his compilicity in the theft. Union Labor Leader

BLACKHAND SUSPECT HELD

Arrest Follows Receipt of Threatening Letters by Neighbor A blackhand suspect, Cosimo De Mass

A blackhand suspect, Cosimo De Massi, Kater street near Sixth, was held today under \$1500 bail by Magistrate Coward. The arrest of De Massi was the result of threatening letters sent to Rocco Capome, 730 Elisworth street. The communications threatened Capome and his family with destruction unless he agreed to give the writer five hundred dollars. Bottles of red and blank ink and writing paper, corresponding with that used in the blackmailing communications, the police say, were found in De Massi's room.

2 MORE STATES JOIN WITH DRYS

Complete Ratification of Federal Amendment

States ratified the national prohibition nary conference with members of the amendment today, bringing the total up press, but it also forbids publication

The Legislature of Wisconsin completed ratification when the House ap- and not disclosed in the official comproved the amendment by a vote of 58 to 39. The Senate ratified the prohibition measure last Wednesday. The Minnesota Legislature completed

ratification when the House accepted the amendment, 92 to 35. The Senate

Saloon League of America. Twenty-five national prohibition and inti-saloon organizations have agreed upon the chief provisions of the legis lative program, virtually all of which are embodied in a bill introduced in the Representative Barkley, of co-author with Senator Sheppard, of Texas, of the Federal amend-

wine for sacramental purposes and alco-hol for nonprohibited purposes.

not for nonpronibiles purposes.

Conferring all necessary authority on officers and fixing of adequate penalties for violation of the act.

The sale, manufacture, transportation, importation, exportation and possession

of intoxicating liquor for beverage pur-poses should be prohibited.
All intoxicating liquors illegally

implements used in the illegal manufac-ture of such liquers shall be considered contraband.

phrase "intoxicating liquor"

prohibitory laws in the States.

The sale of alcoholic patent or proprietary medicines which are possible or capable of being used as a beverage should be surrounded by the same safeguards as the sale of alcohol,

Provision to prevent any scheme, de-vice or subterfuge to evade the provi-

therewith to carry out its provisions. Such other provisions as will destroy very vestige of the beverage liquor every vestige of the beverage liquor traffic throughout the United States and

COLONEL HOUSE SITS UP

by prohibition advocates.

Confers With President-Won't Attend Peace Council Opening Parts, Jan. 17.—(By A. P.)—Colone M. House, who has been ill for sev ment.

As a precautionary measure, however,
Colonel House's physicians have forbid
den his attending the opening session of
the Peace Conference Saturday.

LENINE REPORTED IN SPAIN

Russian Premier Lands at Barcelona, Madrid Papers Say Madrid, Jan. 17.—(By A. P.)—Nikolat Lenine, the Bolshevist premier of Rus-sia, was among Russians who landed at Barcelona recently, according to news-papers here.

It was recently reported that Lenine had been jailed by Leon Trotsky, the Bolshevist foreign minister. No confir-mation or denial of the report was re-ceived from Russia.

FRENCH PRESS FORCED RULE **VEILING NEWS**

Irresponsibility of Paris Papers Provoked Allies to Use Gag

ORDER DOESN'T APPLY TO PEACE CONGRESS

Secrecy Is Being Placed Only Around the Preliminary Conferences

SHUTS OUT THE WORLD

Gilbert Says Wilson Could for virtual secrecy regarding its de- The question of Russia continues to be Have Forced Publicity if He Tried

(The following dispatch from Mr Gilbert was filed before the Allies placed in abeyance their rule for secrecy of peace meetings.)

By CLINTON W. GILBERT Staff Correspondent of the Evening Pub-

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Paris, Jan. 16 (delayed) .- The gag rule adopted Wednesday applies only Wisconsin and Minnesota to meetings of the heads of governments preliminary to the actual Peace Conference. It has been suggested that it will not stand when the conference itself begins. But the rule is most severe. It not only TOTAL NOW IS FORTY forbids the heads of governments and the commissioners generally discussing what takes place in the prelimiof any information obtained by the press regarding such conferences

munique. Such communiques as so far is sued disclose virtually nothing. The most complete blanket of secrecy has been thrown over the entire proceedings. To enforce the rule The program of the dry forces for the will require the most rigid applienactment of legislation to carry into cation of the censorship. It will effect the prohibition mandate of the be nearly impossible to tell whether States has been outlined by the Anti- correspondents are disclosing matter not published in the communiques.

Since President Wilson came here, largely to secure publicity and in protestation against censorship, his position is made absurd by the rule world will be barred from the knowledge of the most important steps taken in making peace, for in these and adequate power and assistance to preliminary conferences the really secure the enforcement of the act.

A provision for the abatement of vital issues among nations will be settled and when the doors are Conferring of power upon the law- thrown open and the actual conferenforcement commissioner to prescribe ences begin the questions discussed Commissioner of Internal Revenue, will be largely matters of detail and

of minor importance. Says Wilson Acquiesces

What President Wilson's attitude is toward the rule just adopted is impossible to determine. American representatives not participating in the present conferences express reessed, manufactured or sold and all gret and hope that the rule will not stand permanently. The rule itself prevents any disclosure of what the American and English position should include distilled, malt, fermented, was at the conference when it was vineus, alcoholic or any intexicating adopted but the fact stands out that adopted, but the fact stands out that An adequate search and seizure pro-vision, similar to those which have proved effective in the enforcement of openly arrived at, in spite of raising may be re-elected. the Brest-Litovsk negotiations as a The union of States yet to be formed model, saying on January 8 that will be on the American principle, and mercantile taxes would approximate the "The Russian representatives have statehood being accorded to any popuinsisted very wisely, very justly and in the true spirit of modern democrate that the conference they have racy that the conferences they have In accordance with the national pro-hibition amendment, the several States shall provide legislation in harmony

Affirmative action by some of the ten State Legislatures yet to act is predicted by prohibition advanced.

bune Which Was Evidently Censored in Paris

Censored in Paris

Paris, Jan. 17.—(By A. F.)—Premier Clemenceau, in the Chamber of Deputies today, gave a warning against false reports concerning the Peace Conference, citing as an instance a cablegram addressed to the New York Tribune; "I saw yesterday a telegram addressed to the New York Tribune;" he said, "in which it was said that President Wilson had threatened to withdraw all his troops and himself retire if certain stipulations of his were not granted. When I showed this telegram to Mr. Wilson this morning he replied to me, "What an abominable falsehood."

OUT IN PETROGRAD, REPORT: BERLIN RED CHIEFS SLAIN Suspend Peace News Gag

have asked Marshal Foch when the

supreme council. The problem at pres

cles is that Russia must be represented

Berlin Reports That Amended Armistice Terms Have Been Signed Under Protest by Erzberger, Germany's Envoy

By the Associated Press

Paris, Jan. 17 .- At the instance of blockade of Germany would be lifted, President Wilson, the Supreme Inter- when Germans would be released and Allied Council decided yesterday to when the preliminary treaty of peace old in abeyance the proposed rule would be signed. liberations, beyond information given one of the most important before the

It was also decided to request rep- ent principally concerns how and when resentatives of the British, American she shall be represented before the con and Italian press to present some ference, for opinion in conference cir plan for reporting the meeting.

The armistice between the Allies The pooling of the information in posand Germany has been extended, the session of the various Powers is expected agreement to that effect being signed to lead to the clearing up of the situaby Mathias Erzberger, the German tion to some extent, and substantial armistice commissioner at Treves, late progress is hoped for from the discus-Wednesday, according to a Berlin dis- sions which may be continued on Satur

Protests against the conditions imsed upon Germany by the Allies in publicity is considered today as likely grad, according to reports from Rextending the armistice were made by to be modified, and it was believed with val, and the Bolsheviki have started Erzberger. During the course of their the assembling of the council today that a general hurried retreat castward Continued on Page Two, Column One conference. Erzberger is reported to

HUGE BOMBING PLANE STARTS LONG FLIGHT

DETROIT. Mich., Jan. 17 .- A big Caproni bombing airplane. one of three built in Detroit, left Morrow Field here at noon today for Dayton. Ohio. It was piloted by Captain Edward L. Williams, Jr., chief instructor at the aviation field at Mincola, N. Y., and carried four others as passengers.

TRANSPORT SANTA MARTA BRINGS 125 CASUALS NEW YORK, Jan. 17 .- The American transport Santa Marta arrived today from St. Nazaire with about 125 officers and men of the overseas forces, all casuals.

just adopted. Even if modified when PLANS 15 STATES CITY TO FIGHT IN NEW GERMANY FOR AUTO TAXES

Losses From Liquor

Philadelphia will join with Pittsburgh

the fees that they pay in order to keep its streets in condition."

The personnel of the committee is

Ebert Ministry Prepares Legislators Plan to Replace **Draft of Constitution** for Republic

PRUSSIA LOSES IDENTITY COUNCILS TAKE ACTION

By JOSEPH HERRINGS: Wireless to Evening Public Ledger Cappright, 1919, by Public Ledger Co. and New York Times Co.

Berlin, Jan. 15 (via Copenhagen, Jan 16).- The Ebert government has no pared a draft of a new constitution which will be submitted to the na tional convention soon after it assembles, probably on February 10, ject at a meeting this afternoon. The draft provides that the presi

ters from which the campaign will be

First, Silesia, with German Posen the open, not behind closed doors and Prussia; third, Brandenburg, Pomera-Continued on Page Twelve, Column One nia and Mecklenburg; fourth, greater Berlin and its suburbs; fifth, lower Saxony, Hanover and Schleswig-Holstein; sixth, Westphalia and the Lippe principalities; seventh, the Rhineland; eighth, the Prussian province of Hesse

ASSAILS FALSE

PEACE REPORTS

Other States as proposed are to be:
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Ninth. Thuringia, including certain parts of old Prussia; tenth, the former kingdom of Saxony, including parts of Prussian Saxony; eleventh, Baden; to Prussian Saxony; eleventh, Baden; the committee were present at the organization meeting today.

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The Organization meeting today.

The Organization of the Select body Ward. They were picked by James E. Lennon, president of the Select body. Dr. Edward Gleason, president of the lower branch, put all Penrose-Independent men, with the evception of Joseph P. Gaffney, a Vare Councilman twelfth, Wurtempurg; thirteenth, Rawestern Bohemia; fourteenth, German Austria; fifteenth, Vienna and its sub-

Count Westarp for many years the following men: Mr. Gaffney, Vare. Conservative leader, mand his parting speech at a meeting of the German National People's party last night, having decided to quit politics on account of ill-health.

Count Westarp said that there had never been a chance for a peace without victor and vanquished, of which some Germans had dreamed. Germany had accepted the most awful peace conditions instead of the honorable, just peace which had been talked about so much. He denied that Ludendorff had asked for peace at any price, characterizing R. H. Morrow had been appointed see:

Count Westarp for many years the following men: Mr. Gaffney, Vare, Underly, Vare, killed have been provisionally arrested according to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dispatch versited. According to a Berlin dispatch versited according to a Berlin dis When this dispatch was shown today for peace at any price, characterizing R. Prince Max's statement to that effect rett as misleading. It was Prince Max's to fault, he said, since the war would not que have been worse than are conditions ; even had Germany been actually quished in battle.

Count Westerp emphasized that he and

Reval Hears of Big Uprising in Russian, at Instance of President City

RETREAT BEGUN BY BOLSHEVIKI

Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg Shot to Death in German Capital

SOLDIERS KILL KARL IN ATTEMPTED ESCAPE

Feminine Radical Victim of Mob; Body Believed Thrown Into Canal

By the Associated Press Helsingfors, Jan. 17 .- A counterrevolution has broken out in Petro-

By the Associated Press Berlin, Jan. 17.-Dr. Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg have

been killed. When it became known yesterday that the Red leaders were at the Hotel Eden, in the western part of the city, crowd rapidly congregated and stormed the hotel lobby to lay hands on them. Both were spirited to a side entrance to the hotel, but the mob forestalled the attempt of the troops to save Fraulein Luxemburg. was beaten into insensibility and then thrown into an automobile by the rowd, which intended to take her to

Body Spirited Away A few blocks down the street the mahine was halted by a second mob, and when the presence of Fraulein Luxemburg became known, a man jumped on the running board and the rear and shot her through the head. The body was dragged from the automobile and carried off. It is supposed that it was thrown into the canal, but it has

was nurried into another automobile by officers and troops and the car was headed for the Moabit prison. While going through the Tiergarten, the machine was halted by a punctured tire. Doctor Liebknecht was asked to get out by the efficers, who intended to hail abother automobile and continue towar the prison. While waiting, Doctor Lieb knecht made an attempt to escape and

Doctor Liebknecht's attempt at escape was the last desperate dash for freedom only last October. When the auto The city's legislators are already planning to replace in part the \$2,000, and the municipality will lose in liquor license revenues, when the country goes dry.

A fight has been begun to divert to the sity the automobile and mercantile taxes which now go to the State. Councils a new automobile entire the first term of the most with the country goes have a state of the country goes dry. The city's legislators are already Legislative Committee took up the sub-

and Scranton in the fight. Headquar-ters from which the campaign will be paid no attention to their demands and directed will be opened in Harrisburg.

Philadeiphia's share of the automobile

One bullet struck him in the

Speaking of the automobile taxes, Jo-seph P. Gaffney, chairman of the legis-lative committee, said:
"This city should have the automo-When Doctor Liebknecht was arrested at the home of a relative on Mannheimer Strasse yesterday morning he stoutly "This city should have the automobile leense fees pa idby Philadelphians instead of turning over this money to the State. The automobile owners use our streets and Philadelphia should get

neglected their duty or had any part in the tragedy. Amsterdam, Jan. 17 .- (By A. P.) -- Ofcommittee.
The legislative committee consists of the following men: Mr. Gaffney, Vare, burg when those two radical leaders were killed have been provisionally ar-Independent, Forty-sixth Ward; Robert rested, according to a Berlin dispatch

was shot dead by soldiers, who had anticipated such an effort on his part. Fatal Dash for Freedom

which now go to the State. Councils a new automobile could be found.

Legislative Committee took up the sublegislative Committee took up the subthe party started to walk. When near start at a meeting this afternoon. group of trees Doctor Liebknecht pushed One bullet struck him in the base of the neck, squarely between the shoul-ders, and his death was virtually instan-

The personnel of the committee is equally divided between the Vare and the Penrone-Independent factions, although none of the independent members of the committee were present to meet at the home of a man named. Marcusson in the suburb of Wimersdorf, Marcusson's home, the police say, has been of the committee were present.

Twenty-seventh Ward.

Announcement was made that Arthur R. H. Morrow had been appointed secretary of the committee and would go to Harrisburg and maintain head quarters.

After Personalty Tax Dedgers
Steps will also be taken by the committee to make the personal property

mittee to make the personal property